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3) ***Avoid touching the connectors and do not get them wet or dirty. Doing so may damage the game.***
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INTRODUCTION

"The Dirt Racer World Championship is under way! Exclusively live on this channel, experience the thrills and spills of this global event. Catch the action from any of the three arenas around the world, and watch the championship unfold. Big cash prizes and glory await the winner of the top division; this year taking place in the snowy wastes of Alaska. Competition is also hot in Division 2, racing for promotion in the sands of the Australian outback. Back in Division 3, ten novice drivers are about to experience their first professional competitive buggy races on the specially constructed grass tracks in England. However there is one driver who catches the eye, could we be witnessing a future world champion?"

This driver is you! Have you the driving shill and the courage to be promoted into the higher divisions and ultimately seize the title of "Dirt Racer World Champion"?

GETTING STARTED

Ensure the power to your SNES unit is turned OFF. Insert the Game Pak into your SNES unit and turn the power ON.

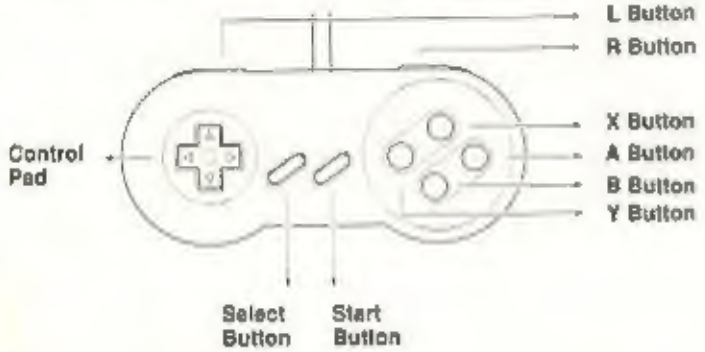
After the licensing screen has cleared, Dirt Racer will go into demonstration mode. To get out of the demonstration, press the START button, then the Language Selection screen will be displayed. Select the appropriate language by pressing LEFT or RIGHT on the control pad. Confirm your selection by pressing the START button. You will then go to the Game Selection screen. You can start a game by selecting either a League or Cup and a Practice on a selected track. Confirm your choice by pressing the START button.

If you are new to Dirt Racer we suggest you begin by racing in Practice mode. After selecting the PRACTICE option the PRACTICE MODE options screen is displayed, then select a 1 PLAYER game. The highlight is already over START, you move on to the next section by pressing the B Button. You can now enter your name using the control pad. To select a letter, press the B button. If you make a mistake, move to the DEL square and press the B button. Once you have entered the name you wish to use move the highlight over the END icon and press the B button. You can now select which vehicle to use and which vehicle that you want to race against. To change the vehicle that you use, press LEFT or RIGHT on the control pad. You can change the vehicle that the computer uses by pressing the B button.

The two vehicles that will be racing are now displayed. Press the START button and you will see your car on the starting line waiting to start the race.

GAME CONTROLLER FUNCTIONS

Dirt Racer is played using the following controller functions:



Control Pad during the game:

Left *and* **Right** *will steer the vehicle you are driving in the appropriate direction.*

Down:	*50% Brake*
Start Button:	*Pause the game*
Select Button:	*Hold down to reverse*
Y Button:	*50% acceleration*
B Button:	*Full acceleration*
A Button:	*Hand brake*
X Button:	*Brake*
L Button:	*Hard steer to the left*
R Button:	*Hard steer to the right*

If you wish to quit out of a race you must pause the game first by pressing the START button, then hold down the SELECT button and press the START button at the same time. When you press both of these buttons it will bring up an options screen.

On this you can select whether you want to CONTINUE; GO BACK lose a life and start in the middle of the track; QUIT and lose all of your lives and the race; or you can choose to EXIT the whole tournament.

Control pad on the menu screens:

UP, DOWN, LEFT *and* **RIGHT** *move the highlighter around the screen*

B Button: *Select the option currently highlighted*

LEAGUE

There are 3 different leagues that you must work your way through to become the true Dirt Racer League Champion. There are 9 other opponents in the league all fighting to become the champion. The top 2 racers in each division are promoted to the next division and the bottom 2 racers are relegated to the lower division. If you come bottom of the England division it is game over, you must start again. Each division is set in a different country. You start on the mud and grass of England, progressing to the hills and sand of Australia and then finally onto the icy tracks in Alaska. Up to 8 players can take part in a league tournament. You can select this by highlighting 1 PLAYER and pressing the B button. This increases the number of humans taking part. If you have a password from playing previously, you can enter it on this screen by highlighting PASSWORD and pressing the B button. To start the league, highlight START and press the B button. You will then be asked to enter your name. When you have finished this, again highlight START and press the B button. When everyone has entered their name you will be presented with the first set of races and the course that they take part on. Human players are highlighted, so that you can see which race you are taking part in.

During a race, you are awarded 4 points for winning. You can also get 1 bonus point for completing a lap within the par time and on tracks where you must do more than one lap, you get 2 bonus points for completing the course in less than the par time. At any point, you can see where you are in the league by highlighting TABLES and pressing the B button. The left hand side of the league table displays the position, followed by who is

in that position and again all human players are highlighted. The next column is for how many races you have won, then how many track bonuses you have managed, then how many lap bonuses you have gained and finally, on the right of the screen, your total number of points.

Before you start the race, you are told which track you are about to race on and how many laps there will be. Underneath this information, you are told the current best lap and total times. This information is kept until you turn the machine off. You are also told what the par is for the lap and total times. These are the times to beat to get a bonus. You can change your vehicle for every race by pressing LEFT or RIGHT on the control pad. After you have selected your vehicle, press START to take you into the race. If you wish to quit out of the League you can on this screen; before you press START to select your vehicle hold down the SELECT button and then press START at the same time. You will then be asked if you wish to CONTINUE to carry on with the league or EXIT to quit the league.

During a race if you are winning the face will smile, if you are losing it will look unhappy, if both cars are close then he will open his mouth.

After you have finished a race, you are presented with a Match Results screen. This tells you your time for each lap and the total time for the course. Underneath this, you are informed of the bonuses you have gained during the race. To carry on to the next set of races, highlight CONTINUE and press the B button on the control pad, or you can select RECORDS which shows you the best lap and total times for the track you have just raced.

CUP TOURNAMENT

To enter the Cup tournament, select the CUP option and press the B button on the control pad. As with the League, up to 8 human players can take part in a cup competition. If you highlight the PLAYERS icon, pressing the B button will increase the number of players taking part.

When you have selected the number of players taking part and the country that you wish to race in, highlight the START icon and press the B button. Each player taking part in the race will

be asked to enter his or her name. After everyone has entered their name, you will be presented with a list of the first round races; each human player will be highlighted. At the top, you are informed which country you are racing in, the round you are taking part in and which track you will be racing on. Before you race you can see what the current best times are on the track you will be racing on. If you highlight the RECORDS icon and press the B button you will be shown the course records. To start the race, highlight the START icon and press the B button on the control pad. You will now be able to choose which vehicle you wish to drive. You can select which vehicle to drive by pressing LEFT or RIGHT on the control pad. When you have selected your vehicle; press the START button on the control pad. If two players are taking part in the race, both players must press the START button before the race begins. If you wish to quit out of the Cup, you can do so on this screen; before you press START to select your vehicle hold down the SELECT button and then press START at the same time. You will then be asked to select if you wish to CONTINUE to carry on with the cup or EXIT to quit the cup.

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After the race has finished, you are presented with the MATCH RESULTS screen which shows you the lap and total times for your race. At this point you can see the records for the track by highlighting the RECORDS icon and pressing the B button. You will see if any of the times you have just done are in the top 5. To continue to the next round of races, highlight the CONTINUE icon and press the B button on the control pad.

PRACTICE

Before you attempt to race against the more experienced computer or human driver, it may be wise to practise driving around the tracks and learn the best course to take for becoming the best. Dirt Racer is equipped with a practice mode where you can practice on any track that you wish. Tracks in different countries can only be selected by entering a password.

In the Practice mode you can either race against the computer

or a friend. If you highlight where it says one player and you press the B button, it changes between 1 and 2 players. You can see the current best times for the selected track by highlighting RECORDS and pressing the B button on the control pad. This will display the best times on the track since you turned your machine on. You can change which track you will be racing on by highlighting the TRACK icon and pressing the B button on the control pad. This will scroll you through the tracks in the country selected.

Once you have the practice set up that you want, highlight the START icon and press the B button on the control pad. Each human player will then be asked to enter his or her name. After you have entered your name, you will be able to choose which vehicle you wish to race in. You can change this by pressing LEFT or RIGHT on the control pad. When you have selected your vehicle, press START on the control pad, if you are in a 2 player game both players must press START. During a race if you are winning the face will smile, if you are losing it will look unhappy but if both cars are close then he will open his mouth.

OPTIONS

If you feel that the controls that are set up are not what you would like to use, then you can change them to suit you. On the GAME SELECTION screen, highlight over the CONTROLS icon and press the B button on the control pad. You can change the buttons you use for the ACCELERATOR, 50% ACCELERATOR, BRAKE and the HAND BRAKE. Move the highlight over the button you would like to change, and then press the button you would like to use for that function. You can only use the A, B, X and Y buttons, as the functions performed on the other keys are permanent. For example if you would like the Y button to be the hand brake then move the highlight over HAND BRAKE and press the Y button.

You can also choose whether to have the Music and Sound Effects on or off. You can change this by moving the highlight over the MUSIC or SOUND EFFECTS icon and by pressing the B button on the control pad, it will display on screen whether you have turned them ON or OFF

You can also change how difficult you make the game. If you move the highlight over the LEVEL icon and press the B button on the control pad, it will change from EASY to MEDIUM and then HARD. In the game, if you select EASY you will have 9 cars. If you select MEDIUM, then you will have 6 cars and if you choose HARD, then you will only get 3 cars with which to complete the course.

GAME RETRIEVAL

When you are taking part in a League tournament you will be given a password at the end of the season. This password will contain the information on the number of human players taking part and which division each player is in. You can enter this password by selecting the LEAGUE option on the GAME SELECTION screen. You should then highlight the PASSWORD icon and press the B button on the control pad. You will then be asked to enter a save game password. Once you have entered it, highlight the END icon and press the B button on the control pad. You will then be informed whether the password that you entered was correct or incorrect. If the password was incorrect, try entering it again. If the password you entered was correct, then you will carry on in the league from where you were.

In the Cup tournament, you are given a password after you have won the tournament that you have taken part in. You can use this password again to choose which country you want to race in the next time you race in a Cup tournament. If you wish to enter a password that you have, highlight the LEVEL icon and press the B button. You will then be asked to enter a password. When you have entered the password for the level you wish to race on, highlight the END icon and press the B button. If you have entered the password correctly you will be told PASSWORD VERIFIED. If you have entered it incorrectly, PASSWORD INCORRECT will appear so try and enter it again. If you have entered the password correctly, the level you are taking part in will have changed.

You can also enter a password from the Cup tournament when using the Practice mode. The passwords for the different countries will let you practice racing in different countries. You can enter the password in the same way as you enter the

password for the Cup. If you enter the password correctly, the country that you are now practising in will be shown on screen. If you wish to go back to England from another country then proceed as normal to enter a country password and select EXIT without selecting any other letter.

IN-GAME DISPLAY

A Speedometer in Kilometres per Hour

B Time, in minutes, seconds and tenths of second

C Lap counter. The number on the left is the lap you are on and the number on the right is the last checkpoint you passed.

D Lead indicator. If you are winning the face will smile, if you are losing it will look unhappy, if both cars are close then he will open his mouth.

E Gear lever

F Tachometer

G Number of lives remaining

H Steering wheel